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16 January 1961

Mr. Pierre Salinger  
Press Secretary  
Democratic National Headquarters  
1737 L Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Salinger:

During the temporary absence of Mr. Dulles from the city, I am forwarding herewith a letter received through our channels [redacted] dated 26 November 1960 to President-elect Kennedy together with the enclosure thereto, a document [redacted] (English translation also enclosed). This document was smuggled out [redacted] and reportedly comes from a political prisoner, [redacted] who claims to be a classmate of the President-elect at Choate.

It is our understanding that [redacted] has made available copies of the letter [redacted] to others; however, we do not know the identity of the recipients.

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Enclosure.

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[redacted]  
Executive Officer

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Drafted by [redacted]

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Executive Office  
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Office, Director of Central Intelligence

25X1 VIA: Deputy Director (Plans) [redacted]

25X1 SUBJECT: Transmission of letter from [redacted]  
[redacted] Prison to President-elect Kennedy

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The attached draft is recommended for your use in passing subject documents to Mr. Pierre Salinger for President-elect Kennedy. (The document and its English translation, I understand, are in your possession.)

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Mr. Pierre Salinger

Dear Mr. Salinger:

25X1        The enclosed document [redacted] is a letter which has been smuggled  
25X1        out of [redacted] prison. It comes from a political prisoner who  
              says he was a classmate of President-elect Kennedy at Choate. Copies of  
              this letter have been sent to several other persons.

In the absence of the Director, I am sending these on because I believe you will agree they might be of personal interest to the president-elect.

Sincerely yours,

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